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GALLERIES

NOTE: The number in parenthesis following the artist's address indicates his dealer as listed under "Galleries" below.

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| 1 A.C.A. Gallery | 20 International Galleries |
| 2 The Alan Gallery | 21 Iolas Gallery |
| 3 Area Gallery | 22 Robert Isaacson Gallery |
| 4 Barone Gallery | 23 Martha Jackson Gallery |
| 5 Bolles Gallery, San Francisco | 24 Sidney Janis Gallery |
| 6 Grace Borgenicht Gallery | 25 Paul Kantor Gallery, Beverly Hills |
| 7 Leo Castelli | 26 M. Knoedler & Co., Inc. |
| 8 Contemporary Arts, Inc. | 27 Kootz Gallery |
| 9 Tibor de Nagy Gallery | 28 Krasner Gallery |
| 10 The Downtown Gallery | 29 Kraushaar Galleries |
| 11 Durlacher Bros. | 30 Felix Landau Gallery, Los Angeles |
| 12 André Emmerich Gallery | 31 Pierre Matisse Gallery |
| 13 French & Company | 32 Gallery Mayer |
| 14 Rose Fried Gallery | 33 Meltzer Gallery |
| 15 G Gallery | 34 Midtown Galleries |
| 16 Graham | 35 Milch Galleries |
| 17 Grand Central Art Galleries | 36 Janet Nessler Gallery, Inc. |
| 18 Grand Central Moderns | 37 Nexus Gallery, Boston |
| 19 Hirschl & Adler Galleries | 38 Nordness Gallery |

- 39 Betty Parsons Gallery
- 40 Peridot Gallery
- 41 Frank Perls Gallery, Beverly Hills
- 42 Poindexter Gallery
- 43 Rehn Gallery
- 44 Reuben Gallery
- 45 Condon Riley Gallery
- 46 Esther Robles Gallery, Los Angeles
- 47 Roko Gallery
- 48 Paul Rosenberg & Co.
- 49 Saidenberg Gallery
- 50 Bertha Schaefer Gallery
- 51 Stable Gallery
- 52 Staempfli Gallery
- 53 Tanager Gallery
- 54 Willard Gallery
- 55 Zabriskie Gallery

COLLECTIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin G. Adams
Larry Aldrich
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Haupt
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hazen
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold H. Maremont
Dr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Sussman
Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Stralem
Hal Wallis
Max Zurier

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Since 1932 the Whitney Museum has held a series of annual and biennial exhibitions surveying the field of contemporary American art. In the present exhibition, like its predecessors, the artists participate by invitation instead of submitting to a jury, and the works are selected by members of the Museum's staff. By a tradition which goes back to Gertrude Vanderbilt Whitney's first activities in American art, no prizes are awarded.

This year's annual exhibition consists entirely of paintings. Next year's exhibition will be devoted to sculpture and drawings.

The exhibition is made possible by the cooperation of art galleries, private collectors and artists who have generously made loans to the exhibition and to whom we wish to make grateful acknowledgment.

Sam Amato. Sleep and Revelry



1 SAM AMATO

Frank Perls Gallery, 350 N. Camden Dr.,
Beverly Hills, Cal.

Sleep and Revelry

2 HAROLD BAUMBACH

1730 47th St., Brooklyn, N.Y. (4)

Yellow Light

3 WILLIAM BAZIOTES

90 La Salle St., N.Y.C.

The Sea

4 MARGIT BECK

250-52 42nd Ave., Little Neck, N.Y. (8)

Eternal Rocks

5 FRED BERMAN

2973 N. Hackett Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

Floating White City

6 JANICE BIALA

Peapack, N.J. (51)

In the Pink

7 GEORGE M. BIDDLE

R. D. 2 Pinhook, Perrysville, Ohio

Car Key

8 ELMER BISCHOFF

2571 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley, Cal. (52)

Bather

9 ISABEL BISHOP

857 Broadway, N.Y.C. (34)

Subway

10 FREDERICK BLACK

557 Camino del Monte Sol, Santa Fe, N.M.
(52)

Untitled



Fred Berman. Floating White City



Elmer Bischoff. Bather



Charles Steven DuBack, Summer 1959

Peter Busa, Breaker



- 11 **DONALD S. BLOOM**
40 Hale St., New Brunswick, N.J. (20)
Delicatessen
- 12 **NORMAN BLUHM**
333 Fourth Ave., N.Y.C. (7)
Queen Anne's Salute
Lent by Max Zurier
- 13 **ILYA BOLOTOWSKY**
55 Tieman Pl., N.Y.C. (6)
Large Vertical 51/59
- 14 **CAMERON BOOTH**
3408 47th Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minn. (50)
Surging
- 15 **GANDY BRODIE**
210 Hooper St., Brooklyn, N.Y. (11)
Man in the Winter Rain
- 16 **JAMES BROOKS**
500 West Broadway, N.Y.C. (27)
Townsan
- 17 **LOUIS BUNCE**
10270 S. W. Boones Ferry Rd., Portland, Ore.
(33)
Drift
- 18 **CHARLES BURCHFIELD**
3574 Clinton St., West Seneca, N.Y. (43)
Early Winter Twilight
- 19 **PAUL BURLIN**
54 W. 74th St., N.Y.C. (42)
Migration
Lent by Dr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Sussman
- 20 **PETER BUSA**
600 Commercial St., Provincetown, Mass.
Breaker

21 **PAUL CADMUS**
5 St. Luke's Pl., N.Y.C. (34)
Sunday Sun
Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Calvin G. Adams

22 **GRETNA CAMPBELL**
469 Rogers Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.
Arbor of Trees

23 **VICTOR CANDELL**
23 E. 9th St., N.Y.C. (18)
Green Spawn

24 **GIORGIO CAVALLON**
178 E. 95th St., N.Y.C. (27)
Untitled

25 **CHEN CHI**
23 Washington Sq. N., N.Y.C. (36)
On the Seas

26 **CARMEN CICERO**
68 Lehigh Ave., Newark, N.J. (40)
Along the Borgo Pass

27 **ROBERT CONOVER**
218 Sullivan St., N.Y.C. (55)
The City

28 **ROLLIN CRAMPTON**
Woodstock, N.Y. (28)
Sea Mood

29 **NASSOS DAPHNIS**
400 W. 23rd St., N.Y.C. (7)
Number 12—59

30 **ROBERT D'ARISTA**
149 E. 97th St., N.Y.C. (2)
The Ventriloquist



William Baziotes. The Sea

Carmen Cicero. Along the Borgo Pass





Frederick Black. Untitled

Louis Finkelstein. Green, Green, I Love You Green



- 31 **ADOLF DEHN**
443 W. 21st St., N.Y.C. (35)
The Wall
- 32 **WILLEM DE KOONING**
Sidney Janis Gallery, 15 E. 57th St., N.Y.C.
Ruth's Zowie
- 33 **ENRICO DONATI**
200 W. 57th St., N.Y.C. (39)
Knight of Akkad
- 34 **CHARLES STEVEN DUBACK**
29 Middagh St., Brooklyn, N.Y. (3)
Summer 1959
- 35 **EDWARD DUGMORE**
100 W. 14th St., N.Y.C.
Yellow and White
- 36 **YONIA FAIN**
304 W. 29th St., N.Y.C. (28)
Objects in Moonlight
- 37 **HERBERT FERBER**
454 Riverside Dr., N.Y.C. (12)
Number 1, 1959
- 38 **JOHN FERREN**
15 W. 73rd St., N.Y.C.
The Chair
- 39 **LOUIS FINKELSTEIN**
469 Rogers Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. (47)
Green, Green, I Love You Green
- 40 **JOSEPH FIORE**
347 W. 29th St., N.Y.C. (52)
The Overlook

- 41 **SEYMOUR FOGEL**
Goodhill Extension, Weston, Conn. (26)
Elemental Force, Number 2
- 42 **SAM FRANCIS**
222 W. 23rd St., N.Y.C. (23)
The White Line
- 43 **JARED FRENCH**
Hartland, Vt. (22)
Bath House
- 44 **ELIAS FRIEDENSOHN**
601 W. 149th St., N.Y.C. (22)
Palatine
- 45 **SHIRL GOEDIKE**
Esther Robles Gallery, 665 N. La Cienega,
Los Angeles, Cal.
Fetes
*Collection of Mr. and Mrs. Donald S.
Stralem*
- 46 **AUGUSTUS GOERTZ**
54 Morton St., N.Y.C. (45)
Macrocosmic Theme, Number 1
- 47 **ROBERT GOODNOUGH**
189 W. 10th St., N.Y.C. (9)
Summer II
Collection of Larry Aldrich
- 48 **ADOLPH GOTTLIEB**
206 W. 23rd St., N.Y.C. (12)
Positive
- 49 **STEPHEN GREENE**
Valley Cottage, N.Y. (6)
Pietà



Sam Francis. The White Line



Jasper Johns. Two Flags

Herbert Ferber. Number 1, 1959



- 50 **JOHN GRILLO**
500 Third Ave., N.Y.C.
Celestial
- 51 **SALVATORE GRIPPI**
192 Eighth Ave., N.Y.C. (55)
Bathers on a Beach
- 52 **SALLY HAZELET**
111 E. 10th St., N.Y.C. (53)
Heart of Iron
- 53 **JOHN HELIKER**
20 Cornelia St., N.Y.C. (29)
Island Landscape
- 54 **JOSEPH HIRSCH**
90 Riverside Dr., N.Y.C. (1)
Eve
- 55 **HANS HOFMANN**
1 Washington Sq. Village, N.Y.C. (27)
Rising Sun
- 56 **CARL HOLTY**
1245 Madison Ave., N.Y.C. (16)
Sentinels
- 57 **EDWARD HOPPER**
3 Washington Sq. N., N.Y.C. (43)
Excursion into Philosophy
- 58 **JO N. HOPPER**
3 Washington Sq. N., N.Y.C.
Cape Cod Bedroom
- 59 **WILLIAM IVEY**
2816 14th W., Seattle, Wash.
Untitled

- 60 **JASPER JOHNS**
128 Front St., N.Y.C. (7)
Two Flags
Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Arnold H. Maremont
- 61 **JAMES KEARNS**
452 Rockaway Rd., Dover, N.J. (15)
Cat's Cradle
- 62 **ELLSWORTH KELLY**
3 Coenties Slip, N.Y.C. (39)
East River
- 63 **LEON KELLY**
Harvey Cedars, N.J. (21)
Cascade of Souls
- 64 **ROBERT KEYSER**
172 W. 79th St., N.Y.C. (48)
Divergence Number 2
- 65 **WILLIAM KIENBUSCH**
44 Greenwich Ave., N.Y.C. (29)
Monuments
- 66 **JONAH KINIGSTEIN**
220 E. 14th St., N.Y.C. (1)
Dachau
- 67 **FRANZ KLINE**
Sidney Janis Gallery, 15 E. 57th St., N.Y.C.
Charcoal Black and Tan
- 68 **KARL KNATHS**
8 Commercial St., Provincetown, Mass. (48)
Hunters
- 69 **EDWARD LANING**
30 E. 14th St., N.Y.C.
The Fountain



Paul Cadmus. Sunday Sun



William Morehouse. The Green One

James McGarrell. Reflection, Self Portrait



- 70 **ALFRED LESLIE**
108 Fourth Ave., N.Y.C. (23)
Number 25
- 71 **JOHN LEEVE**
André Emmerich Gallery, 17 E. 64th St.,
N.Y.C.
July IV, 1959
Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hazen
- 72 **SI LEWEN**
84-22 122nd St., Kew Gardens, N.Y. (47)
Visitation
- 73 **JULIAN LEVI**
282 W. 4th St., N.Y.C. (38)
Poseidon
- 74 **RICHARD LINDNER**
178 E. 95th St., N.Y.C. (39)
Stranger Number 2
- 75 **LOREN MACIVER**
61 Perry St., N.Y.C. (31)
Olive Grove in Greece
- 76 **PEPPINO MANGRAVITE**
224 E. 49th St., N.Y.C. (43)
Window, Woman and Flower Forms
- 77 **CONRAD MARCA-RELLI**
Kootz Gallery, 655 Madison Ave., N.Y.C.
Cargo
- 78 **BORIS MARGO**
818 Broadway, N.Y.C. (39)
Two Ascending
- 79 **KEITH M. MARTIN**
1011 N. Charles St., Baltimore, Md.
Oracle

- 80 **JAMES MCGARRELL**
Dept. of Art, Indiana University,
Bloomington, Ind. (41)
Reflection, Self Portrait

- 81 **HUGH MESIBOV**
500 Third Ave., N.Y.C. (32)
Dark Rider

- 82 **EDWARD MILLMAN**
Woodstock, N.Y. (38)
The Burning Bush

- 83 **JOAN MITCHELL**
Stable Gallery, 924 Seventh Ave., N.Y.C.
Piano Mechanique

- 84 **PAUL MOMMER**
103 E. 17th St., N.Y.C.
Out of the Center

- 85 **WILLIAM MOREHOUSE**
Bolles Gallery, 729 Sansome St.,
San Francisco, Cal.
The Green One

- 86 **CARL MORRIS**
919 N.W. Skyline Blvd., Portland, Ore. (29)
Beach Forms Number 2

- 87 **ROBERT MOTHERWELL**
173 E. 94th St., N.Y.C. (24)
Iberia Number 2

- 88 **GEORGE MUELLER**
9 Summit St., East Orange, N.J. (6)
Romance at the Railing

- 89 **WALTER MURCH**
468 Riverside Dr., N.Y.C. (39)
The Manifold



James Kearns. Cat's Cradle

Alfred Leslie. Number 25





Conrad Marca-Relli. Cargo

Kenzo Okada. Hero



- 90 **BARNETT NEWMAN**
685 West End Ave., N.Y.C. (13)
Ulysses
- 91 **TETSUO OCHIKUBO**
350 W. 110th St., N.Y.C. (28)
Cosmos
- 92 **KENZO OKADA**
51 W. 11th St., N.Y.C. (39)
Hero
- 93 **GEORGIA O'KEEFFE**
Abiquiu, N.M. (10)
Blue II
- 94 **CYRIL OSBORNE**
Iolas Gallery, 123 E. 55th St., N.Y.C.
Summetros
- 95 **CHARLES OSCAR**
133 E. 92nd St., N.Y.C. (2)
Metope
- 96 **ARTHUR OSVER**
50 Victory Blvd., Staten Island, N.Y. (18)
Beginning II
- 97 **WILLIAM PACHNER**
939 Mandalay Ave., Clearwater Beach, Fla.
(28)
Encounter Number 1
- 98 **ANTHONY PALUMBO**
253 W. 16th St., N.Y.C.
Conflict
- 99 **DAVID PARK**
1629 La Vereda, Berkeley, Cal. (52)
Daphne

- 100 **JAMES PENNEY**
101 Campus Rd., Clinton, N.Y. (29)
Branches in Light
- 101 **I. RICE PEREIRA**
121 W. 15th St., N.Y.C. (38)
The Ascent
- 102 **GEORGE PICKEN**
61 East End Ave., N.Y.C. (43)
October
- 103 **ANNE POOR**
New City, N.Y. (16)
Flowers
- 104 **FAIRFIELD PORTER**
49 S. Main St., Southampton, N.Y. (9)
The Plane Tree
- 105 **RICHARD POUSETTE-DART**
286 Haverstraw Rd., Suffern, N.Y. (39)
White Gothic Number 4
- 106 **GREGORIO PRESTOPINO**
Roosevelt, N.J. (38)
The Artist and Nature
- 107 **LEO QUANCHI**
36 Ridge Rd., Upper Saddle River, N.J.
Black and Orange
- 108 **LEO RABKIN**
61 Sullivan St., N.Y.C. (19)
In Green and Blue
- 109 **ABRAHAM RATTNER**
8 W. 13th St., N.Y.C. (10)
Composition in Blue—Number 2



Barnett Newman. Ulysses



Sarai Sherman. The Centaurs

Georgia O'Keeffe. Blue II



- 110 **RUTH RAY**
291 Mansfield Ave., Darien, Conn. (17)
What is Man?
- 111 **AD REINHARDT**
209 E. 19th St., N.Y.C. (39)
Number 1—1959
- 112 **MILTON RESNICK**
88 E. 10th St., N.Y.C. (42)
My Birthplace is 0
- 113 **DEAN RICHARDSON**
Nexus Gallery, 82 Charles St., Boston, Mass.
Motorists
- 114 **KURT ROESCH**
Todd Rd., Katonah, N.Y. (14)
Ripeness
- 115 **WILLIAM RONALD**
Box 231, Main St., Kingston, N.J. (27)
The Keeper Number 2
- 116 **LUCIA AUTORINO SALEMME**
130 W. 16th St., N.Y.C.
N.Y.C. Five Cents a Ride
- 117 **CHARLES SCHUCKER**
33 Middagh St., Brooklyn, N.Y.
Sing the Sky
- 118 **JON SCHUELER**
68 E. 12th St., N.Y.C.
Scottish Sea
- 119 **GEORGE SEGAL**
R.F.D. 4, New Brunswick, N.J. (44)
Room Six

- 120 **BEN SHAHN**
Roosevelt, N.J. (10)
Mural Study, "The Threefold Search for Understanding"
- 121 **CHARLES SHEELER**
Dow's Lane, Irvington-on-Hudson, N.Y. (10)
Composition Around Red (Pennsylvania)
- 122 **SARAI SHERMAN**
17 W. 9th St., N.Y.C. (1)
The Centaurs
- 123 **SEMYON SHIMIN**
32 E. 10th St., N.Y.C.
The Pack
- 124 **LUNDY SIEGRIEST**
5203 Miles Ave., Oakland, Cal.
Ancient Lava Flow
- 125 **THOMAS SILLS**
240 W. 11th St., N.Y.C. (39)
After Glow
- 126 **SIDNEY SIMON**
164 South Mountain Rd., New City, N.Y.
Mourning After Morn
- 127 **MITCHELL SIPORIN**
300 Franklin, Newton, Mass. (38)
Conflagration at the Museum
- 128 **KIMBER SMITH**
Peridot Gallery, 820 Madison Ave., N.Y.C.
The Baron
- 129 **SYD SOLOMON**
2428 Portland St., Sarasota, Fla. (49)
Seabreak



Charles Sheeler. Composition Around Red
(Pennsylvania)

Charles Oscar. Metope





James Strombotne. Three Bathers

Teiji Takai. Rinne (Metamorphosis)



- 130 **EVERETT SPRUCE**
15 Peak Rd., Austin, Texas
Prairie Night
- 131 **THEODOROS STAMOS**
80 W. 82nd St., N.Y.C. (12)
Corinth Number 3
- 132 **HEDDA STERNE**
179 E. 71st St., N.Y.C. (39)
Number 1 — 1959
- 133 **JAMES STROMBOTNE**
Frank Perls Gallery, 350 N. Camden Dr.,
Beverly Hills, Cal.
Three Bathers
- 134 **TEIJI TAKAI**
235 W. 103rd St., N.Y.C. (42)
Rinne (Metamorphosis)
- 135 **REUBEN TAM**
549 W. 123rd St., N.Y.C. (2)
The Coast of Fog
- 136 **BRIE TAYLOR**
77 State St., Brooklyn, N.Y.
Blue Forms
- 137 **JOHN TAYLOR**
Woodstock, N.Y. (35)
From the Bridge
- 138 **MARK TOBEY**
Willard Gallery, 23 W. 56th St., N.Y.C.
Above the Earth VI
Lent by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Haupt
- 139 **JACK TWORKOV**
234 E. 23rd St., N.Y.C. (51)
Wednesday

- 140 **JOHN VON WICHT**
55 Middagh St., Brooklyn, N.Y. (50)
Painting in Greys
- 141 **MAX WEBER**
11 Hartley Rd., Great Neck, N.Y. (10)
Figure with Bird
- 142 **PAUL WONNER**
Felix Landau Gallery, 702 N. La Cienega
Blvd., Los Angeles, Cal.
The Swing

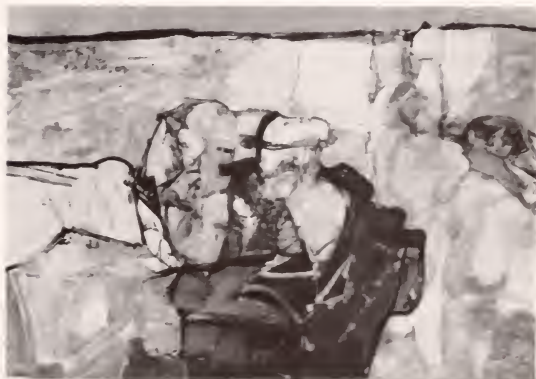
- 143 **ANDREW WYETH**
Chadds Ford, Pa. (26)
Albert's Son
Lent Anonymously

- 144 **ADJA YUNKERS**
351 E. 19th St., N.Y.C. (12)
Bewitchers Sabbath I
Lent by Hal Wallis

- 145 **JACK ZAJAC**
698 Colorado, Claremont, Cal. (30)
Deposition



Reuben Tam. The Coast of Fog



Dean Richardson. Motorists

NOTE: Most of the paintings in the exhibition are for sale. For prices and information visitors are requested to inquire at the Information Desk. No commission is charged by the Museum on sales made.

Andrew Wyeth. Albert's Son



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